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Additional Town Topics

W. P. Rogers spent Sunday in Edmonton.

Carl McSee and W. Smith were in town on Wednesday taking in our fair

Bandmaster Clarke, of Edmonton, was in town for two or three days during the week.

Frank Hamilton went to Edmonton Monday evening returning Wednesday morning.

Karl Martin, O. McKay and J. S. Johnston, of Leduc took in the fair here on Wednesday.

For a complete report of the Wetaskiwin fair and races see next weeks issue of The Times.

Talbot Bros., moved to their new quarters on Pearce St., this week where they have up-to-date premises.

W. H Paterson, of Milwarkee, has purchased a quarter section four miles south of Duhamel from A. K, Levang.

Howard Stutchbury, of the Alberta Music Co., was in town this week exhibiting a wonderful self-playing piano during the fair.

Prof. Robertson, a would be slight-of-hand performer and magician, gave a performance in Heric's Hall Monday evening, but had a very small crowd.

The majority of the nimrods around here are satisfied with capturing one prairie chicken at a shot, but J. H. Lyle, killed no less than eleven with one shot last Saturday. They were perched on a fence, however.

Chas. Rodberg has placed a new Anderson force pump in front of his store on the Duhamel road, for the accommodation of the general public. This is very courteous on the part of Mr. Rodberg and no doubt the weary traveller will take advantage of his hospitality.

The C.P.R. have increased the price of their lands north of township 46 and east of range 20 west of the 4th meridian to $5.00 an acre. Other lands east of the 5th meridian are $4.00 an acre. West of the 5th the price remains as before. The $5 price takes in the great Vermillion district to which settlement has been rushing during the past two years.

A most desirable change has been made in the train service on the C. & E. We now have a daily mail and passenger service both ways each day except Sunday. The south bound train leaves here at 10:15 a. m., while the north bound train leaves here at 15.50 p.m. Mail is also left at intervening points. In addition to this there is a regular freight each way daily.

Thos. Thirsk and family arrived from Millbank, North Dakota. last week and have moved out to their comfortable new house in Dried Meat. On the same train that brought Mr. Thirsk's effects were fourteen cars from the same district, ten of which were left at this point. The owners will be neighbors in the fertile Dried Meat settlement. The other four cars were left down the line.

Ed. Nunneley, who left town about six months ago on a visit to relatives in New Zealand, returned on Friday's train. During his absence Mr. Nunneley visited Australia, New Zealand, Fiji Island, Hawaian Islands, Samoan Islands, New South Wales and several other places of interest. He states that the drouth in Australia is frightful, the cattlemen having to kill off their stock. In New South Wales they are importing camels to ride the boundary owing to the scarcity of water.

It is quite apparent that the Wetaskiwin district is getting her share of the large immigration to Alberta as is evidenced by the following list of arrivals, with cars of settlers effects, during the past week:—

Herman Rutz, Minnesota.
M. Wesley, Lowery, Minnesota.
T. S. Wold, Oaks, N. D. 3 cars.
M. Zwack, New Paynesville, N. D.
M. Kauchon, " " "
A. Rakaz, " " "
Victor Matson, Minnesota,
Peter Monson, "
W. Thirsk, North Dakota
T. " North "
W. F. Patrick, Fairmount, N. D.
J. " " "
F. Frank, " "
A Anderson, " "
H. Grosland, " "
H. Olson, " "
J. Greening, " "
W. Reich, " "
O. Jacobson, Minnesota,
A. Nordstrom, "
E. T. Anderson, Gretna.
G. T. " "

Wetaskiwin Town Council.

The council met in the Odd Fellows hall on Wednesday evening, Oct. 8th. Mayor Dickson in the chair. Coun. McKay, Finch, West, Talbot and McEachern were present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Petitions were received as follows: A. S. Rosenroll, et al, asking for a six foot sidewalk on Railway street, south of the post office.

A. R. Dickson, et al, asking for sidewalk in front of lots on Pearce street to Alberta street, and thence to Presbyterian church.

The petitions were referred to the Committee on Public Works.

Coun. West reported on the trip of himself and Coun. McKay to Strathcona and Edmonton, to enquire into their fire protection appliances and water supply. Coun. McKay made a similar report.

Reports were received and concurred in.

The Committee on Public Works reported favorably on the following petitions:—A. S. Rosenroll, et al; A. R. Dickson, et al, and J. E. Curtis, et al.

The report was received and concurred in.

The Public Works Committee was instructed to put in a crossing from sidewalk to school grounds and look after all crossings in town, old bridge on ally near J. A. Brown's, and get new bed of creek deepened by owners.

The Secretary was instructed to call the attention of the C. & E. Railway Co. to the insufficiency of the cattle shipping yard, and also the nuisance of the pig pens adjoining.

Talbot—McKay—Cemetery Committee be instructed to look after the cemetery and get the grass cleaned off.

Meeting adjourned until special meeting to be called by Committee on Fire and Water.

A. S. ROSENROLL, Clerk.

Among the Builders.

Freeman Kelley has had a large addition built to his house.

J. D. Cowan is renovating and improving his residence by placing a foundation under it.

A large stable was erected last week by P. Burns & Co., at the rear of their butcher shop.

G. H Robinson has the frame work up for a handsome, well-laid-out home, which will be an acquisition to Alberta St.

V. Metejka finds that he has not sufficient accommodation to meet the needs of his rapidly increasing business and has consequently decided to build a three story addition 24x36 feet to the Alberta Hotel. The foundation has already been dug.

Church Chimes.

Next Sunday Rev, Mr. Almgren will preach at Swea at 11 a.m , and the Sunday following he will conduct service at Urquhart.

Mrs. Craig, of Compton, Quebec, gave an address to the ladies of the W. C. T. U. in the Methodist church last Tuesday afternoon on the subject of Health and Heredity.

No service was held in the Episcopalian church last Sunday morning, as Rev. Mr. Austin was conducting a country service. Next Sunday there will be both a morning and evening service.

Rev. E. J. Hodgins, of Edmonton, conducted the services in the Methodist church last Sunday most acceptably, preaching earnest and thoughtful sermons both morning and evening. It is expected that Rev. Mr. Carscallen, from Ontario, will be on hand for next Sunday.

Hereafter service will be held in the Catholic church every Sunday morning at 10:30, and mass every morning, week days included, at 8:30. The residence of the priest is being renovated and other improvements are being made. Father Vanwitten, recently from St. Paul mission, will be a resident priest.

Lowisville

A very sad death occurred in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Rhyason on Tuesday of last week when their daughter Goldie Ethel departed this life. She was a bright young girl, of only thirteen summers, and her loss will be keenly felt in the home and by her young associates. Heart disease was the cause of her demise. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the whole community in their affliction.

DISTRICT NEWS

Gathered by our own staff of wide-awake correspondents.

Battle River.

Mr. Geo. Waterston has gone to the mountains for the winter.

Mr. Andrew Wallace is working in town at the Pioneer store.

John McKay was out again laying our chickens, ducks and geese on Saturday week.

J. Rouse, the evangelist, left on Tuesday last for his home in Bracebridge, Ont.

Mr. Potvin is home again and Mr. Geo. LaFountain has gone to the B. C. lumber woods.

The auction sale at the Donaldson home came off most successfully. Messrs George and John Donaldson have gone to Golden, B.C., while Miss Donaldson intends moving to town.

The organization of the new school district out of the east part of Bears Hill and the west part of Battle River district is proceeding steadily. Messrs Thirsk, Girling and Neeman have been elected as a trustee board. The district will be known as Angus Ridge S. D. It is expected things will be in running order early in the new year.

Highland Park.

C. A. LaPoint played at a dance near Duhamel the other evening.

Mrs. M. W. Brooks called on her parents at Duhamel one day last week.

G. and F. Backstrom purchased a pedigreed bull at the Wilcox sale.

The special meeting held the 8th inst., failed to perform any business, as usual.

Failed to "catch" the mail last week so this "budget" will contain a mixture for two weeks.

Chas. Davidson is working with the Gunn threshing machine as "head" feeder, we understand.

The weather for the fortnight has been well inproved by the "Park Farmers" and their fall work is advancing well toward a finish.

In justice to the school board will say they have not failed to perform their duties according to laws, therefore, if there is any to be censured it is the ratepayers for not attending the meetings.

Hillside.

Probably before the end of the 20th or 21st century, some people will be able to say there is a school house. At anyrate at the present we console ourselves by considering part of a poem, viz, "Art is long and time is fleeting."

Cayotes still hold their nocturnal concerts in this neighborhood and some drastic measures are to be dealt out to them as they come too near to be safe for lambs and chickens. Bears are not troublesome and hogs can be kept in safety, which was not the case three years ago. The days of bear and deer hunting around Hillside are over.

"Hope deferred maketh the heart sick." This is an old adage and applies in many cases and to Hillsiders the deferred arrival of the thresher acts likewise, at any rate with some of the young bloods, one of whom, I hear, started off some considerable time after a late supper to endeavor to locate in which direction the power lay. This is being energetic with a vengeance, but I fear will not hasten matters, as threshers are known to be a somewhat independent class, who bide their time and nibble at the best bait, but yet there is a consolation to the impatient, that all things come to them who wait, even the hail to those who don't.

The Methodist service is lively at this point. Quite a large turn-out of sympathic settlers and their children almost fill a vacant log house. The first thing that greets the preacher is a neighborly lot of farmers and their teams, but should it be otherwise? Many voices and bright faces glad to see a visitor away out in this lonely part of Alberta. One wonders where they come from, for houses are scarce and scattered. After the morning service a Sunday School is held with an average attendance of twenty five. Old and young lend to the usefulness and helpfulness of this service in the exchange of thoughts, etc.

Births.

KEELER—At Battle River, on the 12th inst., the wife of Mr. E. W. Keeler, of a daughter.

Millet.

Mr Iverson's livery stable, a credit to Millet, is near completion. We wish him success

Much sympathy is extended to Miss Short, who met with a serious accident that has prostrated her for two months. Trust she is now on the fair way of recovery.

Of late we have been highly favored with land seekers and new settlers. That suggests who's who. Things really look bright at present and august for the district at large.

Keep your eye on Millet; not the place it was yesterday with a sign post painted white, and Millet written on it in black letters. Colonists and commercial travellers hardly though it worth their energy to push up the carriage window and see what was around this little station; but now it is making itself felt. Wetaskiwin's youths have found out that is a beautiful drive to Millet and we extend hearty greetings to all our visitors.

Already we hear the welcomed hum of the threshing machine, its whistle calling workmen to their respective posts and all hands at it; each his own part to play, cutting wood, running for water, feeding the separator, while all manner of topics are discussed; the last but not least, ladies busy behind the scenes, baking pies and potatoes galore, etc. What a hustle is on in preparing and trying to meet the needs of hungry threshers who have worked and talked themselves out of breath. To such a table groaning under the burden of eatables provokes a smile over their dusky faces, and all hands say cheerfully, " here goes."

The Methodist Church is favored with large congregations each Sabbath evening. Their attendance and silences during the preaching of the gospel is remarkable and proves that it has still its ancient power. Each service is brightened with solos, duets and hearty congregational singing that draws both old and young from distances. Last Sabbath evening's subject on, "Moses or the Ministry of sorrow" was third of a series of addresses to men. These have been fruitful in laying hold on the men in this district. Why it's a pleasure to see how they appreciate these monthly addresses! Would that there was more of this in our churches as men long for a service that is characterised with bright hymns and a thorough presentation of the truth.

A harvest festival was held recently in the Millet Methodist church which was full of brightness and cheerfulness to God for crowning the year with His goodness. A choir of girls specially trained by Rev. J. Kennedy sang some well known harvest hymns, assisted by Messrs M. Wood, W. Gray, H. and F. Dowler and D. Hamilton, whose bass voices gave strength and volume to the selected pieces. The sweet voices of Miss Marr and Master H. Dowler rendered "There's a land that is fairer than day," with feeling; Misses Daisy and Hazel Aikens favored us with a pretty duet, "Have ye heard the song from the golden land." Master H. Dowler left a splendid impression when he sang a solo, "God is ever good." Miss Dowler and Rev. J. Kennedy's contribution with variations was, "Summer suns are glowing." The services of Miss Dowler, organist, were highly appreciated. Rev. J. Kennedy preached to a full church, the subject being appropriate for the occasion, "The golden year." It was a pleasant sight to see the walls of the new church tastefully decorated with different grains. On the left hand side of the church a table well laid with vegetables, and in front of the pulpit sacks of oats and flour with beautiful plants to brighten it up. Much credit is due to the decorators, Mrs. Aikens, Mrs. Johnson and others, who did their best to make things look well.

Wetaskiwin Markets

Wednesday Oct. 15 1902.

Wheat	0 35	to	0 [illegible]
Oats	0 25	to	0 25
Barley	0 30	to	0 30
Butter, per lb	0 12½	to	0 12
Eggs, per doz	0 15	to	0 15
Flour, Blizzard, per cwt	1 40	to	1 40
Flour, [illegible], per cwt	2 00	to	2 00
[illegible]	15 00	to	15 00
[illegible]	18 00	to	18 00
[illegible]	18 00	to	18 00
[illegible]	5 00	to	5 00
Beef	0 03	to	0 03½
Pork	0 06½	to	0 06½

Deaths.

RHYASON—At Lewisville, on the 7th inst., Goldie Ethel Rhyason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Rhyason, aged 13 years.

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H. D. FARRIS, Recorder.

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P. A. MIQUELON, Commander.
J. W. HEY, Secretary.

Meets second and fourth Tuesday in each month in Odd Fellows Hall at 8 o'clock. Visiting [illegible] cordially invited.
W. A. BONNEMAN, C. R.
T. C. STEEVES, Sec'y.

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Dried Meat Creek.

The grain is all stacked.

Mr. Brooks has sold out and gone back to the States.

A school district has been formed in 45-18.

Mr. Moller made a trip to Duhamel last week.

Mrs. Divight is building on her railroad quarter.

Mr. Hanson is building a two story house.

The muskrats are building big houses. That's a sign of a cold winter.

There was a rumor that the old Edmonton and Battleford trail was going to be made a public road, but we hope they will reconsider the matter as it would only be an expense to the country and would cut up the settlers lands, and would not be of any use.

The people don't need the money for they can find plenty of ducks on Dried Meat Creek, where no preachers will bother them on Sundays.

Little Beaver Chips.

Farmers have their harvest work all done and are busy plowing.

Petty thieving seems to be the order of the day around here. A. Hoult had J. Riedel tried before Justice Adams, of Duhamel, for taking a window that did not belong to him.

Carl Nesse drew the line at picking up potatoes.

J. C. Chan is going to quite the farm and tend bar again at the Alberta.

Tom Nesse says if Mr. ——will bring back the dishes, shoes and auger he stole out his shack on 24-43-21 he will save himself some trouble

J. Locke and wife, Joe Bombard and O. Hansen visited with Mr. Hoult's family last Sunday.

Mr. Safferon has bought the steam threshing out fit of Mr. Angus and intends to make a run among the Little Beavers.

Jack Defrain went across the slough last Sunday. But what was the attraction?

Martin Treberg, of Red Willow creek, was looking after his farm interest in this locality this week.

Mrs. Bortoff and daughters visited at Ed. Mitchell's last Sunday.

Lew Chan will haul water for Schlagel & Towsend's machine this fall.

Dried Meat Lake.

Intended for last week

Fred and Louis Jeffords arrived Tuesday from Kansas City, Mo., to see the country and with their brother Geo. to take a week's hunt and exploration tour.

Some of the neighbor's horses have been troubled with hoof root but are mostly better at present.

Carpenters are scarce as hen's teeth although there are many of them around.

There are at present 27 schollars in attendance at Dried Meat Lake school. As soon as stacking and threshing are completed there will be about 35 scholars.

A sad event in the death of Albert Ellingston occurred at 2 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 27. Mrs. Ellingson is absent in the States. Many sorrowing friends came to pay their last respect to the departed friend and neighbor.

There are immense coal beds along Dried Meat Lake and the river below us.

Quite a number of the neighbors went to town with steers for Oct. 1 delivery. Chas. Whyte, Mr. Ashton, A. Rowe, E. B. Snider, W. E. White, Wm. and Robt. Campbell were from around here.

Threshing starts this week.

W. E. White has rented M. A. Moore's farm for the coming season and also purchased a team from Mr. Moore.

S. K. Allen and W. E. Whyte last week hauled lumber for Messrs Miller and Smith for their new store at the foot of the lake. How would "Ithmer" sound for a town at the foot of Dried Meat Lake.

What a pity some enterprising railroad company don't see the easy crossing of Dried Meat Lake via Dried Meat Creek and Five Mile creek thus tapping the the best of this good farming district in their route to the coast or as a spur to the one that is thirty miles from most of us.

News Items.

The city council of Toronto has appropriated $50,000 to purchase fuel for the poor of the city and charitable institutions, so that these may have it at reasonable prices.

For the first time in several years there will be a total eclipse of the moon, visible in Canada on Thursday night next. The circumstances of the eclipse and time for Calgary are as follows: Moon enters penumbra 10.17 p.m.; moon enters shadow 11.17; total eclipse begins 12.10; ends 1.47.

Boston, Mass, Oct. 11—Sir Frederick Borden, Canadian minister of militia, who is a visitor in this city, in an interview to-day made known the fact that the Canadian and British governments had decided to join and establish a fast Atlantic steamship service between the Halifax, N. S. and Liverpool ports, with an annual subsidy of $1,125,00 for ten years.

A horrible tragedy occurred at the Mennonite village of Altona, Man., this week by which J. Hiebert, a well known merchant of that place, and several other persons were fatally shot by the school teacher. Hiebert and two other of the trustees of the school were having a dispute with the teacher, when the latter suddenly drew a revolver and shot all three of the trustees. He then went into the school and shot three little girls, daughters of the trustees, after which he shot himself in the head.

We have not advanced the price of our tobaccos. Amber smoking tobacco, Bobs, Currency and Fair Play chewing tobaccos are the same size and price to the consumer as formerly. We have also extended the time for the redemption of Snowshoe tags to January 1st 1904.—THE EMPIRE TOBACCO Co., Limited.—2t

Manitoba Grown Watermelons

If Kipling had dropped into our office last week and seen us munching huge slices of juicy watermelons, grown and ripened in the garden of Mr. Alex. Fowler, he could hardly have seen the force of his verse, "Our Lady of the Snows," and this away up in Manitoba, where everything is 1 hard.—Baldur Gazette.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

METHODIST.

Services in Methodist church every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School at 2.30 p.m. Prayer Meeting on Wednesday at 8.00 p.m.
Rev. J. Smith, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Divine Services at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sabbath School at 2.30 p.m. Prayer Meeting at 8 o'clock every Wednesday evening.

Angus Ridge—Service is held every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
Rev. D. McKay Reid, Minister.

BAPTIST.

Baptist service every Lord's Day evening at 7.30; Sabbath School at 2.30 p.m., in the room at the rear of Smith's confectionery store.
Rev. N. H. Ellis, Pastor.

SCANDINAVIAN MEETINGS.

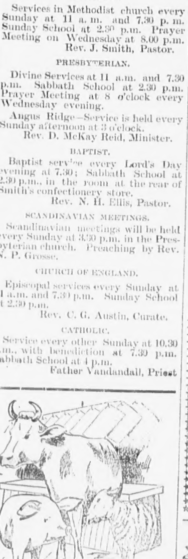
Scandinavian meetings will be held every Sunday at 3.30 p.m. in the Presbyterian church. Preaching by Rev. N. P. Grosse.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND.

Episcopal services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Sunday School at 2.30 p.m.
Rev. C. G. Austin, Curate.

CATHOLIC.

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Father Vandandall, Priest



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offered for butchering purposes do not come up to our standard of quality, so they do not come here. We wait and get the best. Our customers do too. The

BEEF, MUTTON, PORK, ETC.,

sold over our counters is from prime young stock, and is deliciously tender, and juicy.

Hams, Bacon and Lard. Pork and Bologna Sausage. Fresh White Fish received every Thursday.

P. BURNS & CO
Shop closes every night except Saturday at 6.30.

Card of Thanks.

We, the undersigned, wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their kind assistance and untiring sympathy in the sickness and death of our daughter and sister.—Mr. and Mrs. Parker Rhyason and family.

The Times offers to new subscribers and old who pay all arrears a handsome premium in connection with Free Press clubbing rates. It is a series of twenty-two oil paintings, representing a variety of subjects, and are a suitable ornamentation for any parlor. The two papers and these pictures for only $1.75.—(tf)

The Local Improvement Ordinance.

NOTICE is hereby given, that, under the provisions of Section 63 of The Local Improvement Ordinance, the Honorable Mr. Justice Scott has appointed Thursday, the 20th day of November, 1902, at 10 o'clock a.m., at the Court Room in Edmonton, for the holding of a Court for confirmation of the returns made under the provisions of Section 65 of The Local Improvement Ordinance in respect of the following Local Improvement Districts, viz:

Local Improvement Districts Nos. 2, 17, 21, 22, 24, 30, 31, 35, 38, 42, 44, 45, 48, 52, 55, 69, 73, 150, 226, 228, 231, 240, 255, 401, 403, 405, 407, 422, 424, 434, 446, 451, 458 and 485.

Dated at Regina this 3rd day of September, 1902.

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25-32 Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

If you want a good house built, call and see

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F. P. SPENCER
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Do you want a

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The Gerhard-Heintzman is the best

Pianos and Organs

THE Alberta Music Co. LIMITED
CALGARY



Nunneley & Cowan having given up the Alberta stable, are prepared to do livery and all kinds of team work from their stable back of the Catholic church. Orders left with Billy the Barber will be promptly attended to.

Horses sold or exchanged
Saddle horses for hire
Cattle droving done
Terms Reasonable

NUNNELEY & COWAN

JOHN WEST,

"The People's Pioneer Store."

Underwear Department. 10 bales Ladies' and Children's, Gents, Boys and Youths', bought at jobber's prices with the largest discounts obtainable for cash. Most of these lines now in stock; balance will be here on inspection in a few days. Prices marked in plain figures.

All Offered at a Cash Discount of 10 Per Cent.

$2,000 worth of King's celebrated Stub Proof Rubbers at 10 per cent. off usual list prices.

150 Men's Overcoats in Sheep Skin lined and Wool lined,

Frieze Overcoats.
Fur Overcoats.

All offered at a discount of ten per cent.

200 PAIR WOOL SOX

Also a large range of
GERMAN SOX,
MOCCASINS,
WOOL AND FUR CAPS,
on all of which we can save you at least

10 Per Cent.

LADIES'

Fur Overcoats,
Mantles,
Winter lined Shoes
Overshoes

at the same reduction in prices.

This Advertisement Costs Money.

And we are not advertising for amusement.

Inspect our goods and prices and you will save money on every purchase you make.

To arrive in the next few days:—

1 Car Hardware.
3 Cars Salt.
1 Car Winter Apples
1 Cars Groceries.
2 Cars Coal Oil.
1 Car

Also a car of **Ogilvie's Celebrated Flour,** for which we are the sole agents here.

No Trouble to Show Goods.

JOHN WEST,
The People's Pioneer Store.
WHOLESALE and RETAIL.

Free Delivery to all Parts of the Town.

Still a Few Snaps Left.

THE BIG FIRE SALE

Of CLOTHING will continue for one week only.

One hundred suits left yet to choose from. Now is the time to buy your winter clothing at your own price. Such prices never before heard of. Don't miss this opportunity.

We also have extra value in Men's and Boys Underwear. A large stock to choose from.

The balance of Clothing we will sell any old price to suit a suit to suit anybody.

Compton & Montgomery.

R.,o [illegible] F [illegible] camp mines show record shipments.

A new telegraph line will be built from Minneapolis to Winnipeg.

A train robbery on the Burlington road near Lincoln, Neb., caused a loss to the company of $50,000.

Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 12:—Gordon & Horton's lumber and coal yards, together with a portion of Swift & Co.'s meat storage plant, was swept away by fire today. A stubborn fight on the part of the firemen saved the central section of the city. It is believed that the fire originated in a pile of slacked lime.

Fernie Free Press—A fatal accident took place in the Gebo mines last Saturday evening by which two of the miners lost their lives and five others were more or less burned one them seriously. As nearly as can be learned the accident was due to the burning of a flash of gas, which enveloped a party of miners. Two of them were working at the top of the chamber, and when the fire occurred were enveloped in the flames. They lost their hold and fell down the shaft at the side, a distance of over a hundred feet, being instantly killed. The other men were in the chamber and substained the heat from the burning gas for some minutes. The two who were killed were W. Clark and J. Haines, while David Davis is seriously injured.

The Okotoks Times reports the following incident which recently occurred in High River and refers to Bob Edwards, the general editor of The Eyeopener:—

An Indian down at High River who must be an honest man, went to the Editor of the Eyeopener to advertise an estray horse and on paying his dollar wanted a receipt. In vain the author of "jolts" tried to impress on Mr. Neche that a receipt was not necessary. "Me must have to show me owe white man nothing," said the Indian, "Me go to heaven, Lord ask Injun he pay debts. Injun say, yes. Lord ask Injun were his receipt! What Injun do! Can't go all over hell to look for you." He's got the receipt, and 'tis reported the Eyeopener man has been sick ever since.

We have not advanced the price of our tobaccos, Amber smoking tobacco, Bobs, Currency and Fair Play chewing tobaccos are the same size and price to the consumer as formerly. We have also extended the time for redemption of Snowshoe tags to January 1st 1904.—The Empire Tobacco Co., Limited.—2t

St. Paul, Minn., Oct. 14:—C. G. Towne, agent for the Duluth South Shore and Atlantic railroad, at Lake Nebogamon, Wis., this morning shot and killed an unknown burglar.

Victoria, B. C. Oct. 13:—The steamer Venture is a total loss on Tugwell island, according to a private dispatch which was received this morning from Port Simpson by her owners, N. P. Shaw & Co., of this city. The Venture which has been engaged in the cattle carrying to Alaska was bound down with 12,000 cases of salmon on board when she was lost.

School Books

We have just received a shipment of school books and supplies and can give you everything you want in that line.

Pictures

Beautify your home. We have some elegant pictures, ranging in price from 25c. up. Call and look them over.

China-ware

This is Coronation Year and we have Coronation Chinaware. You should have a souvenir of this great event.

When you write a letter get your stationery from

J. R. WILLOWS
Book and Stationery Store.
Next Massey-Harri Warerooms
WETASKIWIN

Calgary Steam Laundry and Clothes Cleaning Works

Laundry work done in first-class style by the most improved and scientific methods. Clothes Cleaned and Pressed and made to look like new. At lowest prices at the Wetaskiwin Agency. Parcels sent on Tuesday returned on Saturday—express free.

F. P. Layton,
Local representative



For a Smooth SHAVE And Quick Service
Call on BILLY the BARBER
PEARCE ST., WETASKIWIN
Children's Hair Cutting And Razor Grinding A Specialty

LAUNDRY

Get your washing done at the Chinese Laundry. Good clean washing, clean starching and ironing given special attention. Goods called for and delivered.

GEE SING, - Proprietor

A few words.... To Farmers!

The most reliable Horse and Cattle Medicines are those prepared by men who have by long experience proved the value of the remedies they recommend.

Advice is cheap—it costs nothing and is often of no value.

Sensible people don't try experiments on their live stock, but take the advice of those who have gained knowledge by long study and have proved the efficacy of the remedies they prescribe.

In purchasing medicines there are three essentials not to be overlooked:

Purity of the drugs.
Suitability for the purpose.
Careful preparation.

I handle pure drugs only, and keep in stock a full line of Horse and Cattle Medicines. Note the following:—

Dr. Ransom's Kurit.

The only reliable remedy for Sores, Wounds, Barb Wire Cuts, Saddle Galls, Burns, Cracked Heels, Collar Sores, Scratches, Grease, Etc. It cures all sores. It does not blister. It acts like a charm.

Price, 50 Cents.

Cordial Condition Powder for Horses.

Are strongly recommended for producing a beautiful, smooth skin, and for bringing Horses into general good condition; they give tone to the stomach, increase the appetite, and purge the blood from all gross and impure humors; they will be found of essential service for grease, swelled legs, coughs, and influenza.

50 Cents per Box.

Dr. Ransom's Worm Killer, for Worms in Horses.

The best, quickest, and most certain cure for worms in horses. It acts directly on the worms, destroying and expelling them, and improves the general health of the horse by stimulating and invigorating the digestive organs and regulating the action of the bowels and kidneys.

Price, 50 Cents per Box.

Walker's English Horse Lineament or White Oils for Horses and Cattle.

For Sprains, Curbs, Over-reaches, Chapped Heels, Wind Galls, Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Sore Throat, Influenza, Sore Back or Shoulders, Chapped Hocks, Rheumatism, Etc., Etc.

50 Cents per Bottle.

Miquelon's Celebrated Fever Powder

For Horses is the most reliable remedy for the prevailing horse sickness from which so many animals have died during the past two years.

Price, $1.50 per Pound.

I always keep in stock the following:—Pine Tar, Oil of Tar, Camphor, Ginger, Gentian, Ground Flax Seed, Sulphate of Iron, Sulphur, Saltpeter, Hoof-rot Remedy, Epsom Salts, Glauber Salts, Turpentine, Linseed Oil and a full line of Patent Medicines.

J. H. Walker, M.P.S.
English Chemist and Druggist, Wetaskiwin.

W. H. Tate's Barber Shop.

Smooth Shave and Stylish Haircut.

First door north of Criterion Hotel.
WETASKIWIN.

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C. E. McPHERSON
Gen. Pass. Agt. WINNIPEG

Chief of Police Goes to Jail

Minneapolis, Minn., Oct. 3.—Chief of Police Ames was given a dose of that medicine which he has so often dispensed to others. Ames was charged with accepting bribes from women of that place who run houses of dispute. The evidence went to show that Ames in company with a couple of detectives, visited the resorts and instructed the proprietresses to pay a man "Reddy" Cohen, a certain sum, every month as protections money. On being found guilty he was sentenced yesterday, to six years and a half in the state penitentiary.

Mayor Ames is a brother of the sentenced prisoner and he too is under a similar indictment. Ames sentence makes the fourth conviction in Minneapolis police circles.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Oct. 13.—Interest was centred to-day in the efforts of the coal companies to induce men to return to work under the protection of the troops. Information from coal companies is difficult to obtain, but judging from early reports from various sources, there are few additional workers in the mines of this region to-day. The troops were out early but were not called upon to suppress any disorder. In some places detachments of troops were on duty near the collieries all night, and at other points soldiers were scattered in twos and threes along the streets and on the street corners. It was stated at strike headquarters that there were no desertion from the ranks of the strikers to-day, but on the other hand, fewer men were at work than last week. President Mitchell had no news to give. He said he had heard rumors of a strike settlement, but there was nothing in them as far as he knew.

Toronto, Oct. 13:—A citizen who wishes his name withheld has given $25,000 for the erection in or near Toronto, of a hospital for advanced cases of consumption. The National Sanitarium association must find a suitable site.

Altona, Man., Oct. 11:—The elder Kehler girl is in a low state and hopes for her recovery are growing less. John Heibert and Rempet are slowly improving.

Now settled in my **NEW PREMISES.**
All are invited to view my stock of **BOOKS, STATIONERY, FANCY GOODS and TOYS.**
New Goods arriving, getting ready for the Xmas season.
Agent for the Evans and Newcombe Pianos, also the Berliner Gramophone. A good supply of records on hand.

G. H. L. Bossange,
Railway St. South of J. West's.

Feed and Produce Store
EAST SIDE OF TRACK

Having opened up a Feed and Produce Store in the building three doors South of Mrs. Swanson's boarding house, I am prepared to supply all kinds of

Flour, Oats, Potatoes, Salt and Herbageum.

BUTTER AND EGGS TAKEN IN EXCHANGE

D. T. LENOIR,
WETASKIIN.

EGGLESTON & BARNHILL

LIVERY FEED & SALE STABLE.

Draying promptly done.
Competent Guides provided with Rigs if necessary.
Opp. Queen's Hotel

Livery, Feed & Sale Stable

Having purchased the long established livery stable from J. C. McKay, I will run an up-to-date barn, having the Best Horses and Vehicles

DRAYING AND TEAMING OF ALL KINDS A SPECIALTY

P. Patenaude,
Stand, between Criterion and Driard Hotels

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The Balance Of this Year For Only ... 10c.

Send in your name at once and take the full benefit of this snap.

Or send the paper to some distant friend. This is cheaper than writing a letter.

DONG TOM, Chinese Laundry

Good washing done. Special attention given to ironing and starching. Goods are called for and delivered.

Alberta Hotel
Valaclav Matejka
Proprietor

Board, per day, 80c.
" " week, $4

Up-to-date Bar
Beer, 10c Glas; 3 for 25c

Draying & Teaming
of all kinds promptly attended to under personal supervision.

G. H. ROBINSON.

F. EASTMAN
GENERAL BLACKSMITH

Wagon and all kind of Vehicle making a specialty
Repairing of all kinds, and Horseshoeing promptly done

EAST SIDE OF TRACK, WETASKIWIN

SPECIAL NOTICE.

We are prepared to quote prices on

FIRST-CLASS WORK HORSES

well-broke and guarantee satisfaction on our part.

Give us a call and see what we have.

J. W. PITMAN,
Manager for Geo. Lan[illegible]

Millinery Opening

Grand display of fine Millinery and Fancy Goods. Everything strictly first-class and up-to-date.

Everybody cordially invited to call and inspect our stock.

Call and Inspect our Goods. Hats from $1.50 to $25.00.

A slaughter sale of Ladies' White Wear and several other lines for the three days' opening.

First-class Mantle and Dress-Making Parlors in connection with the Millinery department.

Butter and Eggs taken at Highest Cash Prices

MRS. A. E. KNAPP.
First door West of A. R. Dickson's Store, Pearce Street.

QUEEN'S HOTEL

MRS. T. C. ANDERSON, Proprietress.
Pearce St. - - - Opposite Bank Building.

Opened August 1st and has been newly renovated throughout.

Best Wines, Liquors, and Cigars at the Bar.

EXCELLENT CUISINE.

FURNITURE.

I have a few pieces of furniture left and in order to close out offer the following:

1 Lounge, was $[illegible] - - now $[illegible]
1 Writing Desk, was $10.00 - now $7.[illegible]
1 Sideboard, was $[illegible] - now $[illegible]
1 Chiffoner, (5 drawers) $18.00 now $15.[illegible]
1 Dessert Stand, was $23.00 now $18.00
1 Kitchen Cabinet, was $11.[illegible] now $8.00
1 Sewing machine (10 year guarantee, was $35.[illegible], now $2[illegible].00

Have you seen our new Air Tight Heating Stove, only $6.50. It's a snap.

Jacobs' Hardware Store

"SENSATION SALE"

Of up-to-the-minute goods at cost of production. In many instances a saving of 25 to 30 per cent. to our patrons.

Dry Goods Dept.

Just received a large shipment of a German manufacturer's

Sample Jackets

from the best maker in the world.

33 1-3 PER CENT. OFF

NO TWO ALIKE. ALL SIZES.

We bought them at 25 per cent. off, but as they are late in arriving we have marked them **33 1/3 per cent. off** in order to clear them out this season.

A well-made, draped back Jacket, with new collar and flared sleeves, worth

$4.90 LESS 33 1/3 per cent. **3.25**

Best quality German Coronation Cloth, beautifully finished, worth

$12 LESS 33 1-3 per cent. **$9**

Some pretty, new effects in colored Curtains, worth

$6.50 SELLING AT **$5**

Clothing Dep't

An opportunity of a life time. We offer the balance of the **Lawrence Clothing Stock**, including Men's and Boys' Suits at

30 PER CENT Off.

All stamped with maker's name.

Boot and Shoe Dept.

We make a specialty of this line.



A good Boy's Boot, made of smooth leather, nailed sole, extension edge, heels nailed so as to prevent wearing off, sizes 1 to 5,

WORTH $1.60
OUR PRICE 1.20

Men's and Women's Boots in best quality leathers for what you generally pay for the poorer qualities.

Hardware and Tinsmithing

Don't pay extravagant prices when you want your stove put up, or your eave troughs repaired or any kind of special tinsmithing done. We give you Lowest Prices and Satisfaction Guaranteed.

$9,000 Worth

Of Graniteware,
Tinware,
Carpenters' Tools,
House Furnishings,
Stove Pipes,
Washing Machines,

and a full line of **Shelf and Heavy Hardware** bought for cash and sold on the closest cash margin.

Come in and talk with our genial hardware clerks, they will quote you unprecedented low prices.

Crockery Dep't



A splendid line of Fine Glass Butter Dishes. Some left from the Lawrence stock.

Worth 25c. each.
To Clear, 15c. each.

GROCERY DEP'T.

Are you particular about your food? We can please you!

We sell the best Groceries only. Always fresh.

A car load of **Canned Fruits and Vegetables** just arrived, including:—

Canned Strawberries.
" Peaches.
" Raspberries.
Lombard Plums.
Red and Green Gages.
Peas.
Corn.
Tomatoes.
Catsup.

Furniture Dept.

You can save from 25 to 30 per cent. by purchasing your Furniture from us.

We are sole agents for one of the best lines in America, which we offer at the following bargains:

A good Dining Room Chair made of imitation quartered oak, fancy back, worth

$1 for 75c. Each

A Good Bed Room Suite, including

The new high bed
Bureau with British plate mirror
Wash Stand with new broad top

Suite worth $30
Our price 20

Fowler, Murdoff & Breen. The Great Department Store.

SOMETHING NEW For Wetaskiwin.

Ernest H Hall, Jeweler and Optician

The only Gold Wire Twister in Northern Alberta.

If you wish to have your name made in gold wire in the shape of a brooch or pin, call and leave your order.

Clock and Watch Repairing promptly attended to. All work positively guaranteed. Why go without a time piece when you can get one at such reasonable figures at

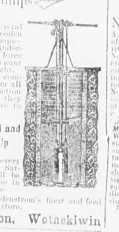
Hall's Jewelry Store.

Call and see his stock of Jewelry before purchasing elsewhere.

P. O. ADDRESS BOX 63, - - WETASKIWIN

PUMPS

Anderson Double-Acting Force Pumps



I am agent for several makes of pumps, wooden pumps, suction pumps—also the celebrated Anderson double-acting force pumps. Satisfaction guaranteed and prices right.

These pumps are completely different from all others in construction and principal as they have no suction valve to wear out. They are

Always Primed and Never Freeze Up

I am in town every Wednesday and Saturday, where I will be pleased to meet those in need of a good article.

Factory south of Hedenstrom's flour and feed store.

Albert Lawson, Wetaskiwin

Robert A. Lawrence, Insolvent, Wetaskiwin, Canada, alias, Elwyn F. Larson, Durand, Wisconsin.

NOTICE is hereby given that an order has been made dated the tenth day of October, A.D. 1902, by the Hon. Chief Justice McGuire, of the Supreme Court of the North-West Territories of Canada, having jurisdiction in the Northern Alberta Judicial District, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of the above named Robert A. Lawrence, insolvent debtor, alias Elwyn F. Larson, are required on or before the twentieth day of November, A.D. 1902, to send in particulars of such claims verified by statutory declaration or affidavit, together with a statement of the securities held by them (if any) and the names and addresses of their advocates (if any) to Messrs. Lougheed & Bennett, Calgary, North-West Territories of Canada, advocates for assignees, and that after such date the assignees will proceed to distribute the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice and that the assignees will not be liable for the assets of the said insolvent debtor or any part thereof, so distributed, to any person of whose claim they [illegible] not then have had notice.

Dated this tenth day of October, A.D. 1902.

LOUGHEED & BENNETT,
Advocates for Assignees.

30-2

The Alberta Feed Stable

I beg to inform the public that I have again taken over the above stable. A good man has been placed in charge and farmers can depend on having their horses well attended to. The prices will be the same as last winter.

A. [illegible], Proprietor

The newest product of the Gardens,

BRITISH CHOICE, EMPIRE, and RED TAPE PACKET TEAS,

shipped direct to Calgary from India.

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V. C. FRENCH, Editor and Proprietor

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1902

Town Topics.

E. Burke spent Sunday the guest of Edmonton friends.

W. H. Eggleston made a business trip to Edmonton Monday evening.

Mrs. A. E. Knapp was at Ponoka the first part of this week looking after her branch store there.

The Ponoka Herald says that Jacob Smith, of Wetaskiwin, has opened a branch bakery down there.

Mrs. T. Facey and child left on Monday morning's train for North Dakota, where she will spend the winter months with relatives.

T. McNamara, of Strathcona, was in town during the week spending part of his vacation the guest of his brother, W. J. McNamara.

P. C. Peterson and H. O. Schoewing, of Pattawattamie Co., Iowa, are in this section this week, and are well pleased with the prospects of this district.

G. G. Bagley, of Deapolis, N. D., was in town during the past week, and is highly delighted with this section of the country. He will become one of our citizens next spring.

Compton & Montgomery purchased the traveller's samples which were damaged by fire last week, amounting to about 500 pieces. They immediately started a fire sale and now this enterprising firm has only a few suits left. See their advt. on page three.

Harrison Young, of the Fisheries Department, was in town this week and gave The Times a pleasant call. He informs us that a large shipment of black bass is on the road from the east to be placed in Buffalo Lake. White fish are abundant in Pigeon Lake, Buck Lake, and Battle Lake, west, while excellent species of pike and pickerel are to be found in the other neighboring lakes. Citizens should remember that the close season for white fish is from Oct. 5th to Dec. 15th and that they are liable to a heavy fine if white fish are found in their possession between those dates.

A new smoke stack is being erected at the mill this week.

M. E. O'Brien was at Edmonton during the past week on professional business.

Col. Young is making a cattle shipment of some fine stock for P. Burns & Co., this week.

Whip Sharpe left on Wednesday morning's train for Calgary where he will spend a brief vacation.

John Giles & Son on Wednesday shipped about 150 head of fine cattle. This makes nearly 800 head this enterprising firm has shipped from this district.

T. Tucker, travelling salesman for the McCormick Mfg. Co., was in town on Saturday straightening up the season's business with N. W. Gould, the local agent.

Oscar E. Lee, of Wetaskiwin, son of a well-to-do rancher there, came into the city to-day to take a six months' course at the Business College of Messrs. Best & Coupland.—Herald.

Wm. Sharman, the well-known stockman, who is attending all the fairs in the N.W.T. in the interests of the Nor'-West Farmer, came into town on Tuesday's train to be present at our fair on Wednesday.

John A. Brash, of Millet, likely has the banner for growing large turnips in this district. Last year he had one which weighed over 25 pounds and this year he had one weighing over 24 pounds and has many nearly as big. They are of the Swedish Rutabaga variety.

J. A. McKay, government immigration agent, of Minnesota, arrived in town this week with a party of prospective settlers. Mr. McKay has been instrumental in bringing in many happy and prosperous settlers to this part and says there are hundreds to follow.

A. Bagshaw, of Uxbridge, Ont., arrived in town last week to visit his friend, Rev. C. G. Austin. Mr. Bagshaw is a theological student, but has been in delicate health for some time and came west for a change in climate. He will likely remain here indefinitely as the climate is agreeing with him.

On Monday Mayor Burris, of Lacombe, and Couns. J. West and J. C. McKay, of Wetaskiwin, arrived at Strathcona to examine the fire apparatus of this town with a view to purchase of equipment for their respective towns. On Tuesday morning members of the fire brigade gave an exhibition of the working of the gasoline engine for the benefit of the visiting gentlemen, which met with their entire satisfaction.—Plaindealer.

WANTED---100 MEN

To work in British Columbia lumber camp. Apply to

J. A. O'NEIL HAYES,
30-2 Wetaskiwin.

Cow Estray

Strayed from the premises of the undersigned on or about Sept. 11th, an aged spotted cow with white strip about six inches wide running from head to tail, and a similar strip on belly; has big horns and will probably have young calf at side. Suitable reward by giving information to.

MIKE KADLEC,
30-2 Wetaskiwin.

Pigs for Sale

Owing to being hailed out the undersigned has for sale, 1½ miles north east of Battle River post office, 42 Poland China hogs and 1 pure bred Poland China boar.

30-3 E. W. KEELER, Battle River P.O.

Lost

Lost from pasture field at Red Willow Creek, one team gray ponies, 5 and 8 years old. One branded O on left shoulder, other docked tail, branded EW. $15 will be paid for their delivery in Wetaskiwin.

9-31 J. A. O'NEIL HAYES.

Pony Estray

Came onto the premises of the undersigned, n w ¼ 2-45-23, last fall, a black pony, about 10 years of age, gray spot on forehead about size of 25c. piece and branded JP on left shoulder and JP on left hip and lazy B on right hip. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take animal away.

8-30 W. J. MARTIN, Angus Ridge.

Colts Estray

Came onto the premises of the undersigned on or about May 1st last, one dark gray colt and one sorrel colt with white strip on face and one white hind foot, both branded O/O on right hip. Owner is requested to pay expenses and take the animal away.

8-30 JAS. JERRED, Duhamel.

Farm for Sale

A farm of 320 acres in Battle River district, fully improved, for sale or will trade for town property. For particulars apply to

O'BRIEN & SON,
27tf Real Estate Agents, Wetaskiwin.

For Sale.

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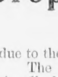
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